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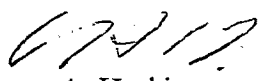
Subject: 5th Annual Vascular Biology and Hypertension research Symposium  
Date: October 8, 1993  
Place: Sandestin, Fl.

Dear Dr. Oparil:

The Scientific Director and CTR's staff have discussed your request for partial support of the conference named above. The program contains topics of interest to The Council, and the list of speakers ensures the scientific quality of the meeting. I am pleased to inform you that we will make a contribution of \$1,000 to help defray, in part, the costs of the conference. A check payable to The University of Alabama at Birmingham for that amount is enclosed for your attention.

It would assist in our record-keeping if we could have a short written acknowledgment of the contribution. We request only that these funds not be used to reimburse expenses incurred by participants from the industrial sector.

Sincerely yours,

  
George A. Hashim

cc: Dr. Harmon McAllister  
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